

Amended claims:

1. A method of effecting a telecommunication connection to a service in a telecommunication network with the use of
5 USSD commands and a voice channel, characterized in that the connection is established from user's phone terminal to an access number of a telecommunication service server, optionally with the use of two complementary interfaces: a voice interface or a text interface, and the access number
10 consists of the character "*" or "#" at the beginning followed by a sequence of digits, optionally ended with the character "#", the character standing at the end of the access number determining that the connection will be effected by means of the text interface using USSD
15 commands, while the lack of the character "#" at the end of the access number determining that the connection will be effected in the voice channel, wherein the access number is always the same number for both interfaces but the optional character "#" at the end of the number.

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2. A method according to claim 1 characterized in that the access number comprises additional parameters, separated with the characters of asterisk "*" or hash mark "#", optionally the parameters being inputted by the user
25 during the connection.

3. A method according to claim 1 characterized in that the text interface is realized within any, other than the USSD commands, text channel, including the short text messages channel of the SMS service.

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4. A method according to claim 1 characterized in that the term telecommunication connection to a service in a telecommunication network also denotes a connection to another user.

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5. A method according to claim 1 characterized in that the term telecommunication connection also denotes a set or a sequence of voice or text messages exchanged between the user and the service, without the need to establish a

15 session or a physical connection.